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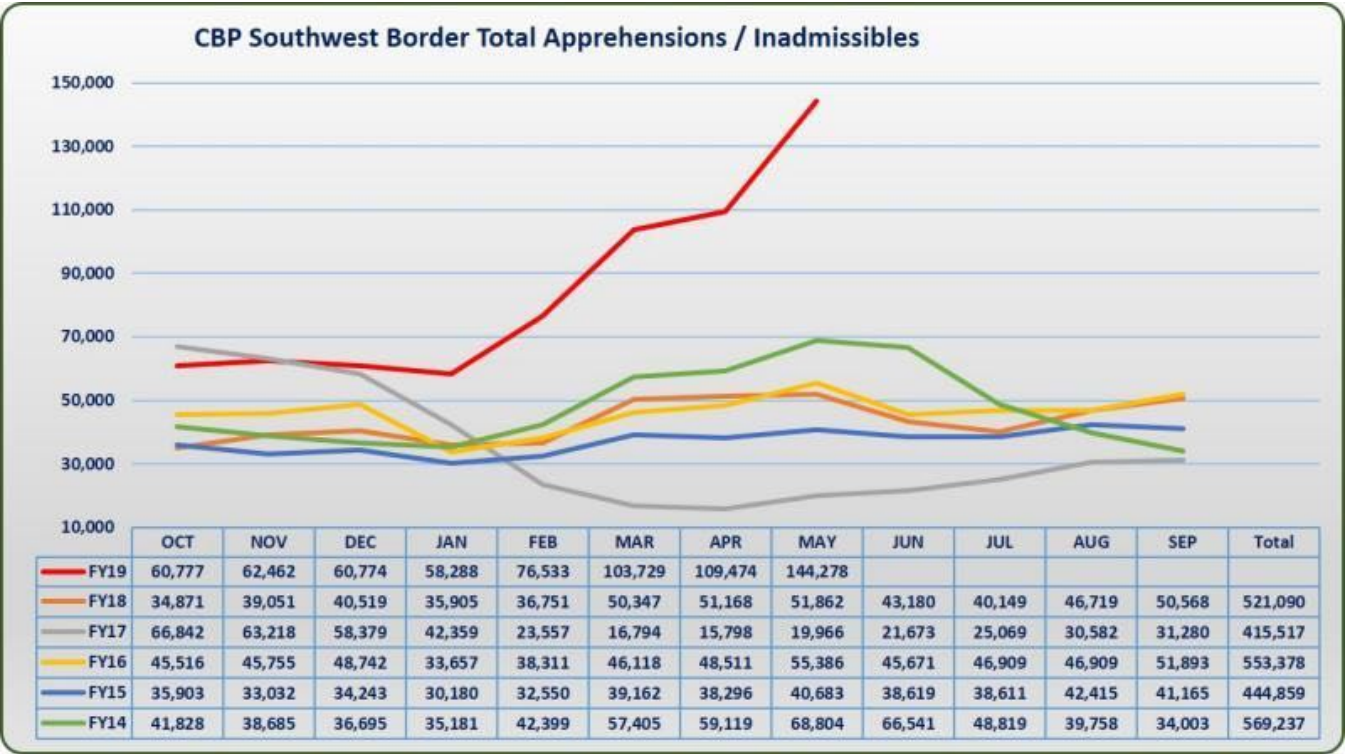
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Southwest Border Migration FY 2019



U.S. Border Patrol Southwest Border Apprehensions FY 2019

USBP	Demographic	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	Total
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Southwest Border	Unaccompanied Alien Child	4,966	5,259	4,753	5,107	6,818	8,968	8,900	11,507	56,278
	Family Units*	23,116	25,164	27,507	24,189	36,531	53,208	58,724	84,542	332,981
	Single Adult	22,926	21,433	18,488	18,684	23,535	30,664	31,680	36,838	204,248
Southwest Border Total Apprehensions		51,008	51,856	50,748	47,980	66,884	92,840	99,304	132,887	593,507

*Family Unit represents the number of individuals (either a child under 18 years old, parent, or legal guardian) apprehended with a family member by the U.S. Border Patrol.

In May, 132,887 people were apprehended between ports of entry on the Southwest Border, compared with 99,304 in the month of April and 92,840 in March. In FY18, a total of 396,579 individuals were apprehended between ports of entry on our Southwest Border.

For breakdown by Sector, visit [USBP Southwest Border Apprehensions by Sector \(/newsroom/stats/sw-border-migration/usbp-sw-border-apprehensions\)](/newsroom/stats/sw-border-migration/usbp-sw-border-apprehensions)

Office of Field Operations Southwest Border Inadmissibles FY 2019

Field Operations	Demographic	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	Total
Southwest Border	Unaccompanied Alien Child	453	404	350	408	426	424	385	386					3,236
	Family Units*	4,178	4,986	4,382	4,213	4,210	4,214	3,633	4,134					33,950
	Single Adults	5,052	5,146	5,213	5,617	4,937	6,160	6,060	6,799					44,984
	Accompanied Minor Child**	86	70	81	70	76	91	92	72					638
Southwest Border Total Inadmissibles		9,769	10,606	10,026	10,308	9,649	10,889	10,170	11,391					82,808

*Family Unit represents the number of individuals (either a child under 18 years old, parent, or legal guardian) deemed inadmissible with a family member by the Office of Field Operations.

**Accompanied Minor Child represents a child accompanied by a parent or legal guardian and the parent or legal guardian is either a U.S. Citizen, Lawful Permanent Resident, or admissible alien, and the child is determined to be inadmissible.

In May, 11,391 people presenting themselves at ports of entry on the Southwest Border were deemed inadmissible, compared with 10,170 in the month of April and 10,889 in March. In FY18, 124,511 people presenting themselves at ports of entry on the Southwest Border were deemed inadmissible.

OFO inadmissibility metrics include: individuals encountered at ports of entry who are seeking lawful admission into the United States but are determined to be inadmissible, individuals presenting themselves to seek humanitarian protection under our laws, and individuals who withdraw an application for admission and return to their countries of origin within a short timeframe.

For breakdown by Field Office, visit **Southwest Border Inadmissibles by Field Office** (</newsroom/stats/sw-border-migration/of0-sw-border-inadmissibles>).

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U.S. Border Patrol Southwest Border Apprehensions by Sector Fiscal Year 2019

Southwest Border Unaccompanied Alien Children (0-17 yr old) Apprehensions

Comparisons below reflect Fiscal Year To Date 2019 compared to Fiscal Year To Date 2018.

Unaccompanied Alien Children Apprehensions by Sector			
Sector	FY18TD MAY	FY19TD MAY	% Change FY18TD MAY to FY19TD MAY
Big Bend	828	525	-37%
Del Rio	862	2,279	164%
El Centro	1,708	2,106	23%
El Paso	3,141	13,284	323%
Laredo	1,929	1,860	-4%
Rio Grande	14,822	23,944	62%
San Diego	1,488	2,664	79%
Tucson	3,565	3,644	2%
Yuma	3,949	5,972	51%
USBP Southwest Border Total	32,292	56,278	74%

Southwest Border Family Unit* Apprehensions

Comparisons below reflect Fiscal Year To Date 2019 compared to Fiscal Year To Date 2018.

Family Unit* Apprehensions by Sector			
Sector	FY18TD MAY	FY19TD MAY	% Change FY18TD MAY to FY19TD MAY
Big Bend	543	1,600	195%
Del Rio	1,509	17,112	1,034%
El Centro	1,611	7,161	345%
El Paso	4,733	104,131	2,100%
Laredo	361	695	93%
Rio Grande	36,773	135,812	269%
San Diego	1,995	14,194	611%
Tucson	2,806	10,051	258%
Yuma	8,775	42,225	381%
USBP Southwest Border Total	59,106	332,981	463%

***Note:** Family Unit represents the number of individuals (either a child under 18 years old, parent or legal guardian) apprehended with a family member by the U.S. Border Patrol.

Southwest Border Single Adult Apprehensions

Comparisons below reflect Fiscal Year To Date 2019 compared to Fiscal Year To Date 2018.

Single Adult Apprehensions by Sector			
Sector	FY18TD MAY	FY19TD MAY	% Change FY18TD MAY to FY19TD MAY
Big Bend	4,713	4,371	-7%
Del Rio	7,766	13,233	70%
El Centro	15,284	16,098	5%
El Paso	9,282	19,507	110%
Laredo	19,625	23,655	21%
Rio Grande	48,240	63,507	32%

San Diego	21,859	26,297	20%
Tucson	29,751	31,167	5%
Yuma	4,263	6,413	50%
USBP Southwest Border Total	160,783	204,248	27%

Southwest Border Unaccompanied Alien Children Apprehensions by Country

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Years 2014 - 2018 and 2019 TD.

Unaccompanied Alien Children Apprehensions by Country						
Country	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19TD MAY
El Salvador	16,404	9,389	17,512	9,143	4,949	8,272
Guatemala	17,057	13,589	18,913	14,827	22,327	24,638
Honduras	18,244	5,409	10,468	7,784	10,913	14,785
Mexico	15,634	11,012	11,926	8,877	10,136	7,013

Southwest Border Family Unit* Apprehensions by Country

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Years 2016 - 2018 and 2019 TD

Family Units* Apprehensions by Country				
Country	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19TD MAY
El Salvador	27,114	24,122	13,669	35,412
Guatemala	23,067	24,657	50,401	149,081
Honduras	20,226	22,366	39,439	129,186
Mexico	3,481	2,271	2,261	2,668

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Southwest Border Single Adult Apprehensions by Country

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Years 2016 - 2018 and 2019 TD

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Single Adult Apprehensions by Country				
Country	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19TD MAY
El Salvador	27,222	16,495	12,751	14,183
Guatemala	32,621	26,387	42,994	37,281
Honduras	22,258	17,110	26,161	31,671
Mexico	175,353	116,790	139,860	98,798

Southwest Border Family Unit Subject, Unaccompanied Alien Children, and Single Adult Apprehensions Fiscal Year 2019 - By Month


FMUA: Family Unit Apprehensions
UAC: Unaccompanied Alien Children
SA: Single Adult

	FY19 October	FY19 November	FY19 December	FY19 January	FY19 February	FY19 March	FY19 April	FY19 May
	FMUA		UAC		SA		TOTAL	
Sector	FY 2019 OCT		FY 2019 OCT		FY 2019 OCT		FY 2019 OCT	
Big Bend	17		37		501		555	
Del Rio	548		145		1,309		2,002	
El Centro	782		256		2,205		3,243	
El Paso	5,180		830		1,325		7,335	
Laredo	121		265		3,063		3,449	
Rio Grande	11,525		2,308		6,922		20,755	
San Diego	1,156		227		2,844		4,227	
Tucson	1,163		469		4,196		5,828	
Yuma	2,624		429		561		3,614	
Southwest Border Total	23,116		4,966		22,926		51,008	

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Southwest Border Inadmissibles by Field Office Fiscal Year 2019

Southwest Border Unaccompanied Alien Children (0-17 yr old) Inadmissibles

Comparisons below reflect Fiscal Year To Date 2019 compared to Fiscal Year 2018.

Unaccompanied Alien Children by Field Office			
Field Office	FY18TD MAY	FY19TD MAY	% Change FY 18TD MAY to FY 19TD MAY
El Paso	2,440	452	-81%
Laredo	1,733	574	-67%
San Diego	1,165	1,598	37%
Tucson	1,319	612	-54%
Southwest Border Total	6,657	3,236	-51%

Southwest Border Family Unit* Inadmissibles

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Year 2019 compared to Fiscal Year 2018.

Family Units by Field Office			
Field Office	FY18TD MAY	FY19TD MAY	% Change FY 18TD MAY to FY 19TD MAY
El Paso	11,114	6,607	-41%

Laredo	9,611	10,618	11%
San Diego	11,267	10,261	-9%
Tucson	7,436	6,464	-13%
Southwest Border Total	39,428	33,950	-14%

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Southwest Border Accompanied Minor Child* Inadmissibles

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Year 2019 compared to Fiscal Year 2018.

Accompanied Minor Children by Field Office			
Field Office	FY18TD MAY	FY19TD MAY	% Change FY 18TD MAY to 19TD MAY
El Paso	85	60	-30%
Laredo	722	470	-35%
San Diego	65	47	-28%
Tucson	78	61	-22%
Southwest Border Total	950	638	-33%

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Southwest Border Single Adult Inadmissibles

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Year 2019 compared to Fiscal Year 2018.

Single Adults by Field Office			
Field Office	FY18TD MAY	FY19TD MAY	% Change FY 18TD MAY to FY 19TD MAY
El Paso	4,112	8,877	116%
Laredo	21,738	19,498	-10%

San Diego	12,176	12,762	5%
Tucson	3,232	3,847	19%
Southwest Border Total	41,258	44,984	9%

Southwest Border Unaccompanied Alien Children Inadmissibles by Fiscal Year

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Years 2017 - 2018 and 2019 TD

Unaccompanied Alien Children by Country			
Country	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 19TD MAY
El Salvador	1,721	833	110
Guatemala	2,829	3,691	599
Honduras	1,173	1,655	477
Mexico	1,556	2,210	1,828

Southwest Border Family Unit* Inadmissibles by Fiscal Year

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Years 2017 - 2018 and 2019 TD

Family Unit by Country			
Country	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 19TD MAY
El Salvador	4,577	3,738	1,224
Guatemala	6,789	12,185	4,061
Honduras	4,246	8,327	4,116
Mexico	10,628	21,411	16,135

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Southwest Border Accompanied Minor Child* by Fiscal Year

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Years 2017 - 2018 and 2019 TD

Accompanied Minor Children by Country			
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Country	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 19TD MAY
El Salvador	24	14	4
Guatemala	46	85	10
Honduras	34	58	16
Mexico	940	1,184	579

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Southwest Border Single Adult Inadmissibles by Fiscal Year

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Years 2017 - 2018 and 2019 TD

Single Adults by Country			
Country	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 19TD MAY
El Salvador	1,020	1,088	777
Guatemala	1,100	1,648	759
Honduras	917	1,719	1,685
Mexico	41,044	45,525	24,848

Cuban Inadmissibles

U.S. Customs and Border Protection maintains a robust posture regarding the enforcement of our immigration laws along the nation’s borders and coastal areas. We continue to promote safe, legal, and orderly migration from Cuba under our Migration Accords and deter dangerous and unlawful migration from Cuba.

*Effective January 12, 2017, the United States ended the special parole policy, also known as the “wet-foot/dry-foot” policy, for Cuban migrants that has been in place since the mid-1990s. Since then, Cuban nationals who attempt to illegally enter the United States are subject to removal, consistent with our enforcement priorities. These actions are part of the ongoing normalization of relations between the governments of the United States and Cuba, and reflect a commitment to have a broader immigration policy in which we treat people from different countries consistently.

Numbers below reflect totals for Fiscal Years 2014-2018, and 2019 TD

Cuban Inadmissibles						
Field Office	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 19TD MAY

El Paso	415	685	5,018	340	394	5,750
Laredo	15,333	26,181	34,658	14,275	6,533	7,694
San Diego	1,229	1,555	1,589	600	131	282
Tucson	132	221	258	168	21	232
Southwest Border Totals	17,109	28,642	41,523	15,383	7,079	13,958

Haitian Inadmissibles

Numbers below reflect totals for Fiscal Years 2014-2018, and 2019 TD

Haitian Inadmissibles						
Field Office	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 19TD MAY
El Paso	1	0	2	18	0	0
Laredo	6	1	6	160	2	1
San Diego	477	333	6,377	8,057	294	855
Tucson	0	0	39	960	1	0
Southwest Border Totals	484	334	6,424	9,195	297	856

Southwest Border Inadmissibles Fiscal Year 2019 - By Month

- FMUA: Family Unit Inadmissible
- UAC: Unaccompanied Alien Children
- AMC: Accompanied Minor Child
- SA: Single Adult

FY19 October	FY19 November	FY19 December	FY19 January	FY19 February	FY19 March	FY19 April	FY19 May
FMUA	UAC	AMC	SA	TOTAL			

Field Offices	FY 2019 OCT	FY 2019 OCT	FY 2019 OCT	FY 2019 OCT	FY 2019 OCT
El Paso	835	84	4	580	1,503
Laredo	1,179	71	67	2,370	3,687
San Diego	1,303	180	5	1,645	3,133
Tucson	861	118	10	457	1,446
Total	4,178	453	86	5,052	9,769


Cuban and Haitian Inadmissibles*

	Cubans	Haitians
Field Offices	FY 2019 OCT	FY 2019 OCT
El Paso	166	0
Laredo	795	0
San Diego	35	37
Tucson	19	0
Total	1,015	37

*Note: Cuban and Haitian inadmissibles are a subset of the total Southwest Border inadmissibles data above.

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